

MR. S. J. NAIR (Nedumangad): Yes, Sir. May I know from the Government whether, in the absence of good drinking water and water for bathing, the people of Nedumangad are put to any inconvenience?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation): Sir, there is a road running almost parallel to the trace that Mr. Nair mentioned and that road crosses the river.

MR. S. J. NAIR (Nedumangad): May I know the name of that road?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation): Vellanad road.

MR. S. J. NAIR (Nedumangad): May I know whether the Chief Engineer has inspected the Nedumangad-Aruvikara trace as well as the Vellanad road?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (Chief Engineer, Roads, Buildings and Irrigation): No.

MR. S. J. NAIR (Nedumangad): Are the Government aware that the two roads run in different directions and not parallel as the Chief Engineer mentioned? Are they aware that the Vellanad road goes to the west from Nedumangad town and the Aruvikara trace goes direct to the south just like two separate poles and not parallel? (*Laughter.*)

SADASYA TILAKAN T. K. VELU PILLAI (Trivandrum—Urban): Is anybody allowed to take water either for bathing or for drinking from the headworks at Aruvikara?

PRESIDENT: No, I do not think anybody is allowed to do that.

Questions in the Sri Mulam Assembly about the Director of Registration.

117. ***MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (Tiruvalla III):** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) the number of questions, regarding the appointments, transfers and other actions of the present Registration Director, admitted for the Fifth and Sixth Sessions, respectively, of the Sri Mulam Assembly;

(b) the number of such questions answered in the Fifth and Sixth Sessions, respectively, of the Sri Mulam Assembly;

(c) the reasons for not answering the remaining questions; and

(d) whether the Government have received the answers from the Director of Registration to such questions as were not answered in the Sri Mulam Assembly?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (Chief Secretary to Government):

No. admitted.

No. answered.

(a) & (b) Fifth Session

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Sixth Session

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(c) The answers in respect of the others were not ready in time.

(d) Yes.